No. 183 (17)-E. T.—41.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-rule (1) of rule 114 of the Defence of India Rules, the Central Government is pleased to direct that the rights of Mr. Piero Mariano Salerni, an Italian subject resident in the United Kingdom, in patents Nos. 25118 of 1938, 25531 of 1938 and 257444 of 1938, of which the title in each case is "Improvement in or relating to hydraulic power transmission apparatus", which vest in the Custodian of Enemy Property for British India by virtue of the notification of the Government of India in the Department of Commerce, No. 72 (1)-Tr. (W)—39, dated the 2nd November 1939, shall cease to vest in the said Custodian and shall re-vest in the said Mr. Piero Mariano Salerni.

No. 183 (23)-E. T. (A)—41.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-rule (1) of rule 114 of the Defence of India Rules, the Central Government is pleased to direct that four packages of wood metal for jockey pulley and inner tube springs consigned from Japan to India by parcel post, being the property of Messrs. Chiyoda Trading Company, Tokyo, Japan, a body of persons declared by the Central Government under clause (d) or rule 97 of the said Rules to be an enemy, shall vest in the Custodian of Enemy Property for British India.

S. N. Ray,
Additional Deputy Secretary
to the Government of India.

LAW SECRETARIAT.

No. Rl. 944—*L. C.* 28-41-3, *dated* 15—17*th November* 1941.

Orders by the Government of His Highness the Maharaja under the provisions of Rule 170 of the Legislative Council Rules, 1940, in respect of Mis. appeals 18, 19 and 20 of 1941-42 on the file of the High Court.

Whereas Messrs. M. S. Dyave Gowda, Proprietor, Shankar Motor Company, Koppa, Kadur District, and T. Manjunatha Iyer, Coffee Planter, Chikmagalur, Kadur District, were declared by the Returning Officer, under sub-rule (1) of rule 81 of the Legislative Council Rules, 1940, to have been duly elected as members of the Legislative Council, from the Kadur District General (Rural) constituency;

And whereas three election petitions were duly presented to Government under clause (*a*) of sub-rule (1) of Rule 152 of the aforesaid rules, by Messrs. K. T. Satyanarayanasetty, B. Krishnabhatta, and T. C. Basappa, respectively, being candidates for the said constituency;

And whereas the Government of His Highness the Maharaja, in exercise of the powers conferred by the provisions of sub-rule (1) of rule 157 of the Legislative Council Rules, 1940, by notification No. 3834—C. B. 161-40-10, dated 16th April 1941, appointed Mr. C. Narayanaswami Naidu, B.A., B.L., for the trial of election petitions and by notification No. Rl. 3478—R. A. 113-40-3, dated 18th April 1941, transferred these petitions to the said Commissioner, for a report in accordance with the provisions of Rule 167 of the aforesaid rules;

And whereas the said Election Commissioner reported on the said three petitions that the election of Messrs. M. S. Dyave Gowda and T. Manjunatha Iyer, from the Kadur District General (Rural) Constituency to the Legislative Council, was void.

And whereas the said Messrs. M. S. Dyave Gowda and T. Manjunatha Iyer having filed three separate appeals, under Rule 169 of the Legislative Council Rules, to the High Court against the decision of the Election Commissioner, the High Court have dismissed all the three appeals with costs and have, in accordance with sub-rule (2) of Rule 169 of the aforesaid rules, forwarded to Government copies of their judgments delivered in respect of the said appeals;

Now therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred by sub-rule (1) of Rule 170 of the aforesaid rules, and in accordance with the judgments of the High Court in the three said appeals, the Government of His Highness the Maharaja are pleased to declare that the notices of candidature of the petitioners, Messrs. K. T. Satyanarayanasetty, B. Krishnabhatta and T. C. Basappa were improperly rejected, that the elections of Messrs. M. S. Dyave Gowda and T. Manjunatha Iyer as members of the Legislative Council from the Kadur District General (Rural) Constituency are void, and that the appellants shall pay the respondents their costs in the appeals and to order further, that a bye-election be held in respect of the aforesaid constituency.

By Order,
H. V. NARAYANA RAO,
Secretary to Government,
Law Department.